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### Dales MP urged to back affordable housing

On Friday 15th November John Whitby, the recently elected MP for Derbyshire Dales, paid his first visit to Hannah Bowman Way.

He was invited by Youlgrave Community Land Trust, together with Laura Mellstrom (District Councillor) David Frederickson (Chair of Peak District Rural Housing Association) and Andrew McCloy (Vice Chair of Youlgrave Parish Council) to add their perspectives.

John was given a tour of one of the houses and heard how grateful the residents were to have such a house available within their home village; where they knew that the children would be able to grow up free and safe (traffic permitting!) to play out with all the facilities of the village nearby.

Of course he was impressed by the quality of the build and the high specification to which it was built, and it is this quality that is making new build in the national park so difficult and expensive. It's not just the stone build, but boundary walls, slate tiles, wooden window frames etc, that add to the already rising building costs. Also, there are new national requirements to improve the biodiversity on each site and include things like solar panels, heat pumps and water saving features.

The CLT impressed on John the need to make the Minister for Housing and



John Whitby MP (far centre) hears about affordable housing in Youlgrave.

Planning, Matthew Pennycook MP, as well as the government's housing agency Homes England, aware of this situation and ensure sufficient funding is available for future projects. Thriving villages need families with homes.

Increasingly, villages like Winster and Bonsall look to Youlgrave and our housing mix. Second homes and holiday lets swallow ever larger proportions of settlements and inflate prices. We still have affordable housing to offer, which helps support a good mixed community with a thriving school, shops and pubs.

Anne Croasdell, YCLT



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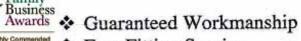
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#### VILLAGE NOTICEBOARD

#### Any photos?

The Scout and Community Youth Hall committee were surprised to find they have no photographs of the old Scout Hut! It burnt down in 1971. Has anyone got photos that we could borrow and copy and perhaps share with the village history society?

If you can help, please phone Anne on 636887.

#### **Youlgrave Methodist Church**

Thank you to everyone who turned out in the wind, rain, ice and Storm Bert to support our Coffee Morning on 23rd November.

You are all amazing and helped us realise a total of £1038 for Chapel funds. Thank you.

#### **Youlgrave Surgery**

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& 3.40-4pm Grove Place,
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#### Youlgrave Parish Council: phone box, traffic, Precept, pavilion

Council met on 26th November and agreed that if the Listed BT Kiosk on Holywell Lane has its equipment removed at the end of its 90-day consultation, then we will take possession as we did for the Alport Kiosk 12 years ago. Our interest is already registered with both BT and Peak District National Park Authority Planning. Many ideas for its use have already been received and Council thanks those who wrote in support of its re-use rather than BT locking it up.

Our traffic survey was submitted to Highways, but until policies change at Derbyshire County Council we are unable to resolve these issues. Land for car parks is essential to take congestion off our streets as Highways deems restrictions in one area will place too great a burden on other roads unless off-road facilities are improved.

Council has also looked in depth at the PDNPA Local Plan Review and submitted its views on how the Authority should approach policies on Housing, Affordable Housing, Camping and Holiday homes, as well as Parking within the Peak Park.

Council set the Precept for 2025/26

at £27,202, which sees a rise of £7.16 per household or 14p per week to meet inflationary costs and allows us to continue to fund improvement of our facilities.

The Sports Pavilion Feasibility Project has produced its report, which will be available to download on our website shortly www.youlgrave.org.uk/youlgrave -parish-council. The need to meet modern standards makes expansion essential and too much of the existing structure has reached end of life and is too cramped to re-purpose. The Online and Paper survey was very supportive and users welcomed the ideas set out at our Open Morning - thank you to all responded. those who The comprehensive report with Architect and Quantity Surveyor conclusions sets an ambitious target in a decreasing funding world, and will require a thorough investigation of what can be raised to create a long-lasting solution to attract more users to our field to use our facilities.

Matthew Lovell, Youlgrave Parish Clerk 01629 636151 youlgraveclerk@youlgrave.org.uk

#### Electric scooters (E-scooters) and the law

As the Christmas season approaches, we know that many parents may be considering purchasing their children an electric scooter or E- scooter. Unfortunately, what many people do not know or understand is that these can only be used on PRIVATE land with the permission of the owner. Derbyshire Constabulary has, as part of our efforts to crack down on anti-social behavior, updated our policy on the seizing of E-scooters and this will now happen in all cases without a prior warning being issued where a scooter is found being ridden in contravention of the law. We would not therefore recommend the purchase of a scooter as most of us will not have access to suitable land to ride them safely and legally. For more information go to:www.derbyshire.police.uk/advice/advice-and-information/rs/road-safety/advice-escooters/

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Doug and Annette Oldfield would like to wish all their friends and family a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



#### **USED STAMPS**

Please note that I will no longer be collecting used stamps for RNIB after the end of Jan 2025.

Thank you, Val Cornish



## Youlgrave Village Hall



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#### A Walk on Christmas Day

Derbyshire Dales Group of Ramblers is organising a walk on Christmas Day. It will start at Coldwell End Car Park at 10am. The walk will be a circuit including Robin Hood's Stride and will be 8 miles, with a shorter option of 6 miles.

Non-members will be

welcome and if anyone wants to know more please contact Sue or Ian Weatherley on 01629 636350 or 48iweatherley@gmail.com.







# **CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR**

#### **Waste & Recycling Collections 2023/24**



Usual day

Christmas/New Year collection days

Monday

Saturday 23 December Tuesday 2 January

Tuesday

Wednesday 27 December Wednesday 3 January

Wednesday Thursday 28 December

Thursday 4 January

Thursday

Friday 29 December Friday 5 January

Friday

Saturday 30 December Saturday 6 January

Collections scheduled for CHRISTMAS DAY itself, will take place earlier on SATURDAY 23 DECEMBER. All other collections during weeks commencing 25 December and 1 January will be ONE DAY LATER.

- Garden waste collections will be suspended from Saturday 23 December to Saturday 6 January inclusive
- Food waste will be collected weekly

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Please note we are not able to collect any additional household waste.

Make sure your household waste is contained in your grey bin or in four black sacks if you are on a sack collection.

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# Christmas services at All Saints Church, Youlgrave

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22nd December 6.30pm Lessons and Carols by candlelight, with WI choir

Christmas Eve

5 pm Nativity procession sets off from Grove Place, Crib Service starts about

5.15pm in church – with live Holy Family and animals

11.30pm Midnight Communion

Christmas Day

11am Christmas Family Service at Middleton

29th December 11am Christmas Praise





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Youlgrave Silver Band

# CHRISTMAS CONCERT



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# YOULGRAVE SILVER BAND: forthcoming concert list in full:

- Sunday 1st December Bakewell Farmers Carol Service, Bakewell Market, 2:30pm
- Sunday 1st December Elton Xmas Tree Lights, Elton, 6pm
- Thursday 5th December the Band's Christmas Concert, Youlgrave Village Hall, 7:30pm
- Monday 9th December Carols round Rowsley village, 6pm
- Thursday 12th December Carols round Youlgrave, 6pm
- Monday 16th December Carol service, Stanton Lees Chapel, 7pm
- Thursday 19th December Carols round Youlgrave, 6pm



# From the Churches

Well, November is over and we are now in the season of Advent (of which more later). For me, November has been a month of contrasts, highs and lows, good times and bad.

November 17th was kept Safeguarding Sunday in many churches. Ironically that was just five days after Justin Welby resigned as the Archbishop of Canterbury taking "personal and institutional responsibility" for the failure of the church in yet another safeguarding issue. I remember writing an article for the Bugle in 2022 about the second

'Past Cases Review' the church was undertaking into safeguarding issues. It seems we learn our lessons very slowly.

Safeguarding, looking after these among us who are vulnerable, preventing those among us who have power abusing it, should be at the

forefront of our churches' work. Jesus gave it the highest priority, referring on several occasions to caring for 'little ones' meaning not just children but anyone who is vulnerable in any way.

I want to draw a contrast between the national church which is truly in a mess at the moment and the church locally. Stephen Cottrell, the Archbishop of York, said recently: "We are at our greatest and our strongest in our local communities."

We here at Youlgreave take safeguarding very seriously. Anyone who holds any post of responsibility in our church is required to undertake special training, including, for some, domestic abuse awareness.

We have two highly trained and dedicated Safeguarding Officers and there is information at the back of church about contacting them regarding any kind of concern. Our church strives to provide a safe and caring environment.

So, the lows for me are about feeling ashamed of what is happening nationally in the Church of England and the highs are about being very proud of being a member of this local church.

We had two memorable services at the beginning of November when many of our community came together for two

> contrasting occasions. On All Saints' Day we had а wonderful celebration of the end the Pommie of Pilgrimages with much joy, laughter and some tears, culminating in a toast to 'All Saints' (all us) with toilet themed canapés (you had to be there).

Then the following Sunday was Remembrance Day, when we came together again to honour those who have given so much for our freedom and to pray for peace in this broken world of ours.

And so to Advent, a time of looking forward to Christmas with hope that our world will prepare for the coming of the Christ Child by working in love for peace.

We shall light our Advent Wreath with its five candles, one each for Peace, Faith, Love and Hope and the fifth in the middle for Jesus the Prince of Peace. May God bless you this Advent and Christmas.

Revd Jane Clay



#### Services for December 2024 and January 2025

**Sundays: 1st December** 

11am Family Service for Advent

5 pm Middleton Music and Lights in the Square (no service in church)

8th December

11am Holy Communion

15th December

11am Morning Prayer with Baptism

22nd December

11am Holy Communion for Youlgrave parish group

#### Christmas services

#### 22nd December

6.30pm Lessons and Carols by candlelight, with WI choir

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#### 🏅 Christmas Eve

5 pm Nativity procession sets off from Grove Place, Crib Service starts about

5.15pm in church – with live Holy Family and animals

11.30pm Midnight Communion

#### 🕻 Christmas Day

11am Christmas Family Service at Middleton

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#### 29th December

11am Christmas Praise

#### 5th January

11am Taize style Morning Service 6.45 pm Evening Prayer at Middleton

#### 12th January

11 am Holy Communion

#### 19th January

11 am Morning Prayer with short address

#### **26th January**

11 am Holy Communion for Youlgrave parish group

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# **Pommie People**

This month's interviewee is **Brian Wardle**, former Chair of Youlgrave Parish Council and Youlgrave Waterworks Board member.

Where were you born and what's your earliest memory?

I was born at Dale Cottage, Main Street, Youlgrave. My earliest memory was walking in the garden with my grandfather where the bright red flowers of the runner beans were very attractive to me.

Where did you go to school and what was your favourite subject? Youlgrave School and Bakewell Secondary Boys School, then Buxton College of Further Education for O levels and Chesterfield College for A levels. My favourite subjects were Maths, Physics and Chemistry.

What person has had the most influence on you?

My grandmother, despite having a difficult upbringing she was always happy and smiling. She had a major influence on my early life, teaching me to read before I started school and showing me the importance of belief in doing the right thing.

Tell us something about you that not many people will know. I have never learnt to drive and at nearly 80 years of age this is unlikely to change.







What did you do for a living and how did you get into it?

Being awarded a first class honours degree and a PhD allowed me the scope to progress my career, first teaching and later as a senior lecturer. This last post involved teaching, research and setting up studentships throughout the European Community.

How do you relax? In my younger days I spent most of my free time walking and fell running. After retirement my main interests have been reading and travelling. Last summer I relaxed by watching the live webcam of the osprey nest at Rutland Water.

What living person do you most admire and why?

My wife Hilary. We

have been together for 50 years and she has always supported me in all I have done.

Where's your favourite holiday destination?
Menorca. And the Highland and Islands of Scotland.

What's your favourite sport and did you ever play it?

Cricket and rugby are my favourite sports which I played in my younger days. Preferring rugby league to rugby union.

What book are you reading at the moment?

I am reading RSPB British Birds of Prey by Marianne Taylor. I listen to various music most days.

What's your favourite time of the day and why?

In summertime my favourite time of day is waking early to listen to the Dawn Chorus.

Are you a cat or a dog person? I have no pets at home, but I do sponsor an RNIB guide dog. My grandchildren's dogs, Jessie and Fred, are always welcome.

What are you most proud of? I am very proud of my two daughters and three grandchildren in relation to their achievements.

What's the most embarrassing thing that's ever happened to you?

After being given out at a cricket match at Youlgrave I stormed into the pavilion slamming my bat down and it went through the floor.

What's your favourite food or meal? Indian, Chinese and Japanese food.

What's your most prized possession and why?

My most prized possession without doubt are the memories of my life.

What skill would you like to learn? I would like to learn to cook as my limit from student days was Vesta Chow Mein with crispy noodles.

What's your favourite local view/place/location?

From my garden down Bradford looking over the fields. And the top of the Dale.

What do you like about living in Youlgrave?

The countryside and the social life. The friendship and the helpfulness from people I have known since childhood.

What could be improved about Youlgrave?

More houses provided for younger local people. Indiscriminate parking.

# Residents now have to register to use local recycling centres

Derbyshire residents will now have to register to use the County Council's recycling centres, including at Northwood (Darley Dale). It's free and open to all Derbyshire residents and involves registering your name and your vehicle's registration number.

Derbyshire County Council says it has introduced registration following a 32% increase in the amount of waste collected at the sites since 2017/18. It has risen to 85,000 tonnes a year and is costing the council over £700,000.

Recycling centres are open every day from 9.30am to 5pm (except Christmas Day, Boxing Day, and New Year's Day).

For more information and to register go to <a href="https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/environment/rubbish-waste/recyling-centres/household-waste-recycling-centres.aspx">www.derbyshire.gov.uk/environment/rubbish-waste/recyling-centres/household-waste-recycling-centres.aspx</a>

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#### **Church Farm Diary, December**

Time has gone so quickly. It's nearly Christmas and yet it only seems like it was yesterday. I suppose that's what's called getting older! And what a month it has been, The budget that has had me very worried. The march in London that reduced me to tears, especially when I saw the little children peddling their tractors, that is something that will stay with them for a long time. And the snow - it wasn't too much, just made a few things difficult. We always have a sprinkling of snow in November just to remind us that it is winter, but up till then the weather has been quite mild.

Luckily all the cattle are in the sheds, so no worries about the weather affecting them. In fact, I think that they prefer the sheds to the fields, always food in front of them and a clean bed. what more could they ask for? I have said before that the nicest place on Christmas morning is in the cowshed, there's an atmosphere that calms you down, so peaceful.

Happy Christmas and New Year to everyone.



Alice, my youngest granddaughter, feeding the calves.

#### Marjorie Shimwell



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#### Presentations for Youlgrave D of E Award group



A number of young people from Youlgrave's Duke of Edinburgh's Award group recently attended a presentation evening to receive their awards (L-R): Rowan (Bronze), Archer (Bronze), Vince (Bronze), Lucy (Silver and Gold), Caitlin (Silver and Gold), Eleanor (Gold) and Billy (Bronze and Silver). Congratulations to them all!

#### Recipe of the month: Mincemeat Cake

This month's recipe is for Mincemeat Cake and is useful if you have any left over from the pies.

Ingredients

200g softened butter
100g caster sugar
75g light brown sugar
4 med eggs
75g ground almonds
200 g S R flour
2 tsp ground mixed spice
1 zest orange
125g mincemeat (veg if needed)
8 glacé cherries halved

20 cm greased cake tin

Method

Heat the oven to 169 c Gas3. Mix in the normal way of cake-making and then when in the tin before you put the cake in the oven, sprinkle 1½ tbsp of Demerara sugar on the top, with some flaked almonds. Bake for about 1 hour 15 mins or until golden brown.

Leave in the tin for 15 mins before you cool on a cake rack.

Marjorie Shimwell





# Next film Friday 13 December

## The Holdovers



Nobody likes teacher Paul Hunham (Giamatti) - not his students, not his fellow faculty, not the headmaster, who all find his pomposity and rigidity exasperating. With no family and nowhere to go over Christmas holiday in 1970, Paul remains at school to supervise students unable to journey home. After a few days, only one student holdover remains - a trouble-making 15-year-old named Angus, a good student whose bad behavior always threatens to get him expelled. Joining Paul and Angus is head cook Mary (Randolph) - who caters to sons of privilege and whose own son was recently lost in Vietnam. These three very different, shipwrecked people form an unlikely Christmas family, sharing comic misadventures during two very snowy weeks in New England. The real journey is how they help one another understand that they are not beholden to their past - they can choose their own futures.

#### YOULGRAVE VILLAGE HALL, 7.30 pm start

Tickets cost £5 - cash only (please bring correct change if possible). Everyone is most welcome. Booking isn't necessary but if you want a particular seat, or have any queries, please phone Glenys on 636477.

And ice creams are served before the film starts - £1.50.

We look forward to welcoming you.

Next film - Wicked Little Letters, 10 Jan



#### **News from Youlgrave WI**

Another successful event took place at our Winter Fayre (formerly known as 'Coffee Morning'). Many thanks go to our

organisers Rosemary and Stella and the Committee and helpers, and to all of you who came along and supported our lovely range of products and stalls.

Our AGM was held in November, and the short business side was followed by four sometimes hilarious Ceilidh dances led once again by Diane Bradwell. The wines and cheese, grapes and biscuits made it a very pleasant evening.

November Supper Club will be on a 'Winter warmers' theme with a full house booked in.

Our Christmas Party on December 10th will welcome the usual wonderful shared supper, a cocktail demonstration, some games and

singing, and of course the ever popular 'help yourself' bar.
On December 19th it's Lucy's next Wellbeing walk, this time in the morning, finishing up at The Flying Childers in Stanton-in-Peak and returning to Youlgrave.

Our Choir are incredibly busy, with bookings at Granby House, Underhall, Burton Closes Hall Care home and at the group Carol Service at Edensor Church on December 3rd. In addition, they will be singing at All Saints Church Carol Service

on December 22nd and at the Christmas Praise service on December 29th. At the November 3rd Pommie Pilgrimage Church Service they sang about 'walking 5,000 miles' and introduced Sandra's 'Canticle of the Sun' to us.

The WI January meeting is on Tuesday the 14th at 7.30pm in the Village Hall with a special talk on blacksmithing. New

the 14th at 7.30pm in the Village Hall with a special talk on blacksmithing. New visitors are always welcome to come along and see what happens at our meetings.

Let's raise a glass for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to everyone. Liz Hickman





Youlgrave Wildlife Notes: Apologies, there are no notes this time because I've been away, but they will return with full a update in the next issue. Please continue to send in your sightings and observations. Thanks, Ian Weatherley, email 48iweatherley@gmail.com

# **Granby House, Youlgrave**

Do you feel the need for more company or support, but don't want a care home? Or do you have an elderly relative who wants to be closer to you? Granby House could be the answer.



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#### CLINIC HOURS AND HOME VISTS:

Our Clinic Opening days are Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9.00am to 6.30pm.

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#### Youlgrave Community Bonfire a roaring success

"I'm so proud to be part of Pommie and surrounding areas. So many people helped tonight. Max and Archer ran a fantastic bar, Phillipa and the Guides ran a fantastic raffle, Esme and the Brownies serving soft drinks with Heidi and the Rainbows with hot chocolate, Edwina on 1st Aid, Dawn, Paul, Russ, Saf, Mark running food, Marcus and Jon on the entrance, Leah and the PTA team with loads of cakes. Fred and Dean with a magnificent bonfire - lit by a remote fuse. Richard and Peter on fireworks, blagging the Bright brothers for all of the hard work to move the barn and yard around for us in the days before the event, the timing of the best fireworks display, just amazing everyone and seeing in the younger generation not only getting involved but working out how to make it better for me. Pommie, our community spirit is something special we should be really proud of. Thank you all, we made something very special tonight.'





Not my words, but those really apt words (slightly edited - apologies), sent to his team immediately after the event by the master risk assessor, master of ceremonies and Mr Motivator - Hugh, who presented a 'Thank you' gift to Charlotte for hosting yet again.

Hugh's words emphasise family and team spirit in what has become almost an institution in our village life. In addition to our immediate team, there are others to thank: Nicola, who did a wonderful job with sponsorship and the raffle - major sponsors being: Derbyshire Aggregates, Long Rake Spar, Amy & DP Young, Peak Feast and Epic Fireworks of Barnsley. Great raffle gifts from: Goodwins Kitchens, Wee Dram, Youlgrave Garage, The George Hotel, Fountain Bakery, Haddon Hall,

Chatsworth and others. The Parish Clerk and Youlgrave

Parish Council who provide insurance cover.

The numbers worked out rather well too, with 400+ through the gate and much-needed funds raised for our Scout & Community Youth Hall of £2,100. The best ever on both counts and so importantly such positive feedback, not just from Alport and Youlgrave families, but Middleton, Over Haddon, Stanton and even visitors Matlock, Chesterfield, Sheffield. Northern Ireland, Australia and our new friends from Ukraine. My thanks to you all.



Ian Bright

Chair, Youlgrave Scout & Community Youth Hall



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- Exceptional care & support to clients
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# Next film Friday 10 January



#### Wicked Little Letters 15



A 1920s English seaside town bears witness to a farcical and occasionally sinister scandal in this riotous mystery comedy. Based on a stranger than fiction true story, WICKED LITTLE LETTERS follows two neighbors: deeply conservative local, Edith Swan (Olivia Colman) and rowdy Irish migrant, Rose Gooding (Jessie Buckley). When Edith and fellow residents begin to receive wicked letters full of unintentionally hilarious profanities, foulmouthed Rose is charged with the crime. The anonymous letters prompt a national uproar, and a trial ensues. However, as the town's women - led by Police Officer Gladys Moss (Anjana Vasan) - begin to investigate the crime themselves, they suspect that something is amiss, and Rose may not be the culprit after all.

#### YOULGRAVE VILLAGE HALL, 7.30 pm start

Tickets cost £5 - cash only (please bring correct change if possible). Everyone is most welcome. Booking isn't necessary but if you want a particular seat, or have any queries, please phone Glenys on 636477.

And ice creams are served before the film starts - £1.50.

We look forward to welcoming you.

Next film - Io Capitano, 14 February

The next issue of The Bugle will be out at the beginning of February 2025.

Please send your contributions to the address on page 4.

For news and local information about Youlgrave go to:

#### www.youlgrave.org.uk

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#### **Winster Morris Dancers**

Come and try Winster Morris dancing Taster evenings 8 pm Tuesday 14th & 21st January.

Burton Institute, Winster

Transport could be arranged – call 07725 702649

Advance notice

Ceilidh, Friday 7th March at 7pm, Youlgrave Village Hall



#### News from Youlgrave, All Saints' CE Primary School





Viking Day: As part of their topic on Invasion, Class 2 dressed up and became Vikings for the day. Led by author and Viking specialist, Chris Wright, they learnt about history in a fun and interactive way. Children had the opportunity to trying on replica armour, weapons, clothes and explored a range of Viking artefacts. They solved riddles, traded with Norse currency, re-enact great battles, formed shield walls, learnt of the Gods and the ways of the Norsemen. All in all, they had a great day and created memories that will last a lifetime.

Remembrance Day: Children joined Mr Camm and members of the Church Team to

commemorate Remembrance Day this year.
Children listen

Children listened to the names of people from our village who had given their lives in past wars and conflicts. Children also raised £145



for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.



**Children In Need:** Youlgrave, All Saints' CE Primary School joined in with the fundraising for the annual CIN appeal. Children dressed up in Pudsey themed items as well as being able to wear their own clothes for the day. We raised £135 and had a lot of fun during the day.

#### **LOCAL COMMUNITY GROUPS & ORGANISATIONS - SPONSORS**

**Bradford River Action Group,** water sustainability in the Bradford valley, 636189 www.riverintime.org.uk

**Granby House**, Housing for older people, 636836 www.granbyhouse.org

Middleton & Smerrill Parish Council 636151

parishclerk@middletonbyyoulgrave.org.uk www.middletonbyyoulgrave.org.uk/parishcouncil

Middleton by Youlgrave Village Hall 07854 432101 peterjworrrall@aol.com

**Youlgrave Bowls Club**, contact Ken Clayton, 630005, kenclayton@mail.com

Youlgrave Cinema, 636836

**Youlgrave Community Land Trust**, 636887

www.youlgravecommunitylandtrust.org **Youlgrave History Group**, contact yhgenquiries2@gmail.com

Youlgrave Methodist Church, 636558 Youlgrave Parish Church, 636576 Youlgrave Parish Council, 636151 www.youlgrave.org.uk/youlgrave-parish -council youlgraveclerk@youlgrave.org.uk

Youlgrave Preschool, 07494 522615 enquiries@youlgravepreschool.org www.youlgravepreschool.org/

Youlgrave Reading Room, 636477 Youlgrave Scout & Community Youth Hall, 636887

Youlgrave Silver Band, Thurs 7.30pm Methodist Hall, Learners 7pm, 07734 714227 www.youlgravesilverband.com Youlgrave Village Hall,

enquiries@yvh.org.uk, www.yvh.org.uk **Youlgrave Welldressers**, 07899 920204

www.youlgravewelldressers.co.uk/

**Youlgrave Wesleyan Reform Chapel**, 636251

Youlgrave Women's Institute, 07377 586330

Youlgrave Waterworks Ltd James Bacon (leaks) 07866 365610 Admin matters: 01629 636151 waterworks@youlgrave.org.uk



**PE Lessons:** School would like to say a big 'thank you' to the team at the Village Hall and all the fellow users, for enabling us to use the gymnastics equipment in the main hall (see left). The equipment makes a real difference to our lessons and the children have loved being able to create sequences and balances on and around it.

Anti-bullying Week 2024: Pupils and staff participated in Anti Bullying Week which this year had the

theme of

'Choose Respect'. As part of the week, we took part in Odd Socks Day where children and staff were encouraged to wear odd socks for the day to show we are all unique and our differences should be celebrated (see right).



#### ANNUAL SPONSORS: BUSINESSES & TRADERS/PROFESSIONALS

#### **Pubs & Accommodation**

**Bull's Head Hotel** 636307 bullsheadyoulgrave@gmail.com www.thebullsheadyoulgrave.co.uk/

**Farmyard Inn** 636221 joinus@farmyardinnyoulgreave.co.uk www.farmyardinnyoulgreave.co.uk/

**George Hotel** 636292 georgehotelyoulgrave@outlook.com www.georgehotelyoulgrave.co.uk/

Hopping Farm Caravan Site, Mrs M. Frost, 636302

**The Old Bakery** B&B and self-catering accommodation, Church Street, Youlgrave 630005, kenclayton@mail.com www.theoldbakeryyoulgrave.co.uk/

Peak Pods En-suite glamping pods, Alport, 636874, www.peakpods.com

**River View Cottage** 2 double bedroom self-catering cottage facing the river Bradford, Youlgrave. www.river-view-cottage.co.uk

Youlgrave Youth Hostel, www.yha.org.uk/hostel/yha-youlgreave

#### Shops, Cafes & Home Delivery

**Amy's Dairy** Fresh glass bottled milk & orange juice, free range eggs, cream and yogurts, 636639 & 07799 880740

**Peak Feast** Bakers of delicious cakes, pies and treats, The Workshop, Moor Lane, 630000, www.peakfeast.co.uk

**Youlgrave Village Shop** Well-stocked convenience store, hot and cold takeaway food, including breakfasts, 630208

**Youngs of Youlgrave** Post Office & Village Store, newspapers, magazines, cards, stationery & groceries, plus free cash withdrawals and deposits, 636217

**Fountain View Bakery**, artisan bakers of bread, cakes & pastries baked on site, and served in our newly renovated café + Dark Woods speciality coffee with over 70 Great Taste Awards.

#### **Building and Interior Services & Supplies**

**Goodwins** Design, supply and project managed installations of kitchens, bedrooms and bathrooms, 01629 258500 michael@goodwinskbb.co.uk

**Derbyshire Aggregates** 636500 www.decorativeaggregates.com

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T. Nutt & Sons Supply and fit carpets, vinyl, wood, laminate and karndean, 01246 863148, www.nutt.co.uk

#### **Other Local Services**

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Youlgrave Garage, Motor engineers and MOT Test Station, 636943

**Clir Laura Mellstrom**, Derbyshire Dales District Council, c/o Town Hall, Matlock DE4 3NN, 07503 674335, Laura.Mellstrom@derbyshiredales.gov.uk

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